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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

APPLICATION OF) GROUP: 1623
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SERIAL NO.: 09/856,545) EXAMINER: G. KRISHNAN
FILED: MAY 22, 2001)
TITLE: METHOD FOR THE PRODUCTION)
OF LOW-VISCOUS WATER-)
SOLUBLE CELLULOSE ETHERS)

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE
BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Appellant hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Office Action of the Examiner dated October 21, 2003 in which Claims 1-3, 5, 7-9 and 12-15 were finally rejected.

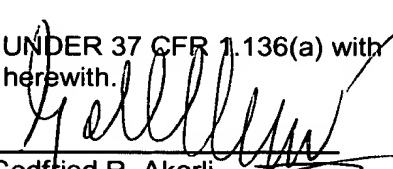
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- ☐ Enclosed
- ☐ NOT REQUIRED - Examiner reopened prosecution after fee was paid in earlier appeal which did not result in a decision by the Board of Patent Appeals and interferences.
- ☒ CHARGE TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 50-2527. Two additional copies of this Notice are enclosed herewith.
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